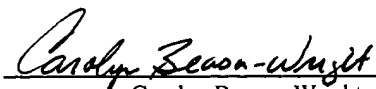




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In re Application of:

Grant James Lund, et al.

Art Unit: 1764

Serial No.: 10/811,220

Examiner: Unknown

Filed: March 26, 2004

For: PURIFICATION OF
PHENOLS

**SUBMISSION OF REQUEST FOR
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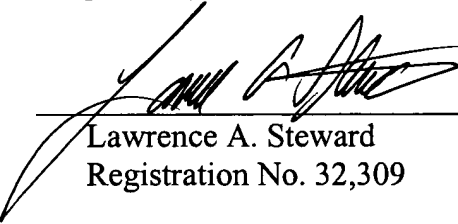
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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 157 and 37 C.F.R. 1.293, Applicants herein and the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest to the above-captioned application hereby request that the application be published as a statutory invention registration.

Enclosed herewith is a Request for Statutory Invention Registration executed by an attorney of record pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.293(n)(2). The Request includes a waiver of Applicants' right to receive a patent on the invention claimed, effective upon the date of publication of the Statutory Invention Registration.

Applicants enclose herewith a check in the amount of \$150.00, which is believed to be the balance of the required fee for filing the Request for Publication of a Statutory Invention Registration in the present matter, according to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(n). The basic filing fee in the amount of \$770.00 was previously paid at the time of filing the application on March 26, 2004. This Request is being mailed prior to the first Examiner's Action. If payment of any additional fee is deemed to be required, please charge such amount to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,



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Request for Statutory Invention Registration

Application Number 10/811,220, or ☐ attached heretoFiled: March 26, 2004Titled: PURIFICATION OF PHENOLSApplicant(s): Grant James LUND, Edward John COOGAN and Wilhelmina JANSEN

A. In the above identified patent application, I hereby:

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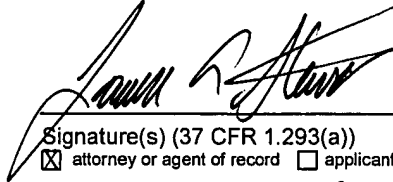
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Respectfully submitted,

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